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Applicant (s): Michael Letchworth

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Sir:

STATUS REQUEST

In view of the length of time which has elapsed since the filing of the aboveidentified application without issuance of a first Office Action, Applicant hereby requests to be informed as to the status of the application.

The last communication received was the filing receipt mailed March 25, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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